

Mrs. Thomas E. Campbell

REVIVE SPIRIT OF
FIRST CHRISTMAS,
SAYS MRS. CAMPBELL

Speaking at the Madison Woman's club yesterday afternoon on "The Christmas Spirit," Mrs. Thomas E. Campbell, wife of the governor, made a plea for a genuine Christmas spirit, a spirit based upon that of the first Christmas. Mrs. Campbell also urged her hearers to support the Associated Charities and other similar organizations in their Christmas work, especially among the children, to whom the Christmas season means so much.

Mrs. Campbell pointed out that it was just possible that the "signs in the heavens" which occurred recently, instead of indicating catastrophe, meant rather "a revelation for us that we are not heeding." She added that man needs a Savior as badly this Christmas as he did 1900 years ago, and urged the club women to let the stars in the east guide them back to the spirit of the first Christmas.

"Just what is the Christmas spirit?" she asked. "Centuries ago a babe was born in a manger, born of parents poor and lowly. This child came in fulfillment of the prophecy, 'And thou, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, art not the least among princes of Judah, for out of thee shall come a governor that shall rule my people Israel.'"

"You all know the story of the wise men; how they asked, 'Where is He that is born king of the Jews; for we have seen His star in the east and have come to worship him.' And when they came into the house they saw the young child with Mary, his mother, and fell down and worshipped him; and when they had opened their treasures they presented unto him gifts—gold and frankincense and myrrh."

"Here was a babe, come to the Savior of men, typical of simplicity and humanity, and here to his feet came the Wise Men, not in doubt, but full of faith. True, the Wise Men made him precious gifts, but they were gifts of gratitude. For nineteen hundred and nineteen years now Christians have been observing the birthday of this babe, born in the manger. And for nineteen hundred and nineteen years they have been presenting gifts on this birthday; they have been true to form in the presenting of gifts, but after all these centuries how much worship is in the hearts of these Christians when they are observing Christmas and making their gifts? How many of us pause to realize the fact that the babe in the manger of lowliness in station, is symbolical of the protection of a God who sent this babe to redeem the world, and that it is He who is the charter member in the brotherhood of man? We have put in plain facts before us how the original Christmas spirit. Let us see how this spirit has developed."

"Right now everybody is looking forward to Christmas. In our youth we formulate all our impressions, most of our ideals. If we could look into the hearts of the youth of today I wonder what Christmas would mean to them. Making these final impressions. On George Washington's birthday we get one holiday from school; Thanksgiving we do a little better, we have Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. But Christmas? We get at least a week, often more. On Washington's birthday nobody dwells very long on the debt he owes to the father of his country; on Thanksgiving youth looks forward to his turkey dinner rather than backward to the hardships of his forefathers."

"On Christmas he figures for weeks beforehand of all the fun he can have during the holidays and what he hopes to receive in gifts, and wonders 'what in thunder' he will get for mother and father and his best girl. Does he think of the 'kid' next to him in school who is struggling for an education and who gets none of the grand things that probably come to him? Unfortunately the fellow who gets the grandest things is too often the one who thinks the least about the fellow who gets nothing. I ask you plainly, is this the spirit of youth today? There are always fine exceptions, but I am afraid the majority is so overwhelming that the exceptions are lost in the mainstream. And these youth are the men of the coming Christmas."

"Christmas is selfish and conventional. Can you find any spirit in selfishness and conventionality? What woman in this audience, in the city of Phoenix, in the state of Arizona, knowing pretty much what her husband is going to get her for Christmas, would be striving to forget the gift; to request of him the money the gift would cost and turn it over to the Associated Charities, or some other charitable organization, or go to the Associated Charities and say, 'Tell me some home where I can go and with this money give cheer and comfort?' Put this question to yourself and find out whether your Christmas spirit is selfish or not. I will answer it with the action if you will. The

Associated Charities and the organizations who are helping those who need help are the Wise Men, and these wise men of today have not half the gifts they need to help Santa Claus.

"We hold a peculiar position in this country; nature has provided for us a wonderful climate and our fame has gone broadcast. In colder climates unfortunate people, clinging to life with desperate zeal, fight their way out to us, trusting in the benefit of our climate. When they get here the things they need to build them up they cannot get because they cost too much. You say, 'Why do they come here?'"

"Do we dare say that to any human being who loves life and wants to cling to it? We have them here—are we going to sit by and see them want? This is not for those of you who are modest and self-sacrificing in your Christmas gifts. I want the children to have their goodies and their treats and their gifts and their happiness. I want to give my friends a little gift of remembrance. If there are those who need useful and pretty things, I want to give them, but I know there are hundreds of women, and I dare say I am one of them, who will get some handsome gift from a husband. If said husband can afford to give the gift to the wife and its equal amount in money to some charitable organization or to some needy person, I say he is thrice blessed. Let the wife have the joy in the present and the added joy of giving to others."

"The original Christmas spirit was gratitude for the redemption of the world, and the redemption of the world is in the brotherhood of man. Is that the spirit you put into your Christmas? I am ashamed to acknowledge it is not the spirit I put into Christmas, although years crowding into my life and the terrible cataclysm through which this unhappy world has been going have tempered my own selfishness. We can all see that the rudder of civilization is carrying the ship of humanity more into the course Christ came to pilot us but we must all put a hand to the oar."

"Did any of you place any significance in the fact that Venus shone in the sky the other morning? I always think of the heavens as God's blue-board upon which He writes His omnipotence. We cannot read it all yet, but I think we shall some day. I have thought and thought seriously, of the wonderful spectacle in the heavens coming at this particular time of the year. I have no fear that it means catastrophe. The fact I have is that perhaps there is a revelation for us that we are not heeding. Now we see through a glass darkly. We have lost the faith of the Wise Men. You will all testify that man needs a Savior this Christmas as badly as ever he did nineteen hundred and nineteen years ago. Let the stars in the east tonight guide you back to the spirit of the Christmas of centuries ago. You will be happier and you will spread happiness."

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WATER USERS WILL
FILL BOARD POST

Appointment of a successor to Glenn Martin, resigned, as a member of the board of governors of the Salt River Valley Water Users' association will come before the association council at the regular monthly meeting Monday afternoon. Mr. Martin, a member of the board from the seventh district, resigned recently because of pressing personal business which demands his entire attention.

Whether or not the board of governors will consider the appointment of a secretary to succeed the late Dr. Charles Van Der Veer, was a matter of speculation yesterday and no one would venture an opinion. F. C. Henshaw, assistant secretary, is serving as secretary until the vacant chair is filled by appointment.

Other matters to come before the two governing bodies of the Water Users' association Monday are merely routine.

FEDERAL ATTORNEYS
COMING TO PHOENIX

J. H. Langston and J. M. Helub, assistant United States attorneys, will arrive in Phoenix this morning from Globe where federal court adjourns today, having been discontinued until the first Monday in February.

In the meantime Judge Sawtelle will hear a number of non-jury cases in Tucson, according to official word that reached here yesterday. Clifford McFall, a former assistant United States attorney, who was recently appointed clerk of the district court, is expected to arrive in Phoenix Sunday when it is understood announcement will be made of the assistant clerk for this city. Since the resignation of N. C. McKee, Mr. Elbert Rivers has been acting as deputy.



We respectfully ask you to do as much of your Christmas shopping as you possibly can during the morning hours—Then you will not be so rushed or crowded—Shop early.

Christmas Hosiery

- WOMEN'S LACE HOSE**
Richelieu ribbed lace stripe silk and fibre hose, blacks only, deep lisle garter top, lisle heel and toe, semi-fashioned, special **\$1.00**
- WOMEN'S CASHMERE HOSE**
Very fine quality imported Australian wool, cashmere hose in fast black and white, hem garter top, semi-fashioned, special value, per pair **\$1.75**
- "RADMOOR" SILK LISLE**
A special fine quality silk lisle in black, white and cordovan, semi-fashioned, hemmed top, all sizes **\$1.00**
- "ONYX" SILK HOSE**
A full fashioned silk hose with silk lisle garter top, lisle heel and toe, in brown, gray, navy, black and white; special value **\$2.50**
- "RADMOOR" SILK HOSE**
A pure thread silk hose, full fashioned, reinforced lisle heel and toe, silk lisle garter top, in blacks and whites **\$2.75**
- ONYX NOVELTY SILK HOSE**
In self embroidered clocks and embroidered insteps, silk lisle garter top, lisle heel and toes; black, white and cordovan **\$3.50**
- "RADMOOR" SILK HOSE**
A pure thread silk hose, full fashioned, with deep lisle garter top, lisle heel and toe, in navy, May brown, biscuit, cordovan, gray, pearl, ivory, pink, black and white **\$2.50**
- SILK HOSE SPECIAL**
A "Radmoor" silk hose with lisle garter top heel and toe, semi-fashioned, in chocolate, brown, biscuit, black and white; special **\$1.50**
- CHILDREN'S "BUSTER BROWN" HOSE**
The best wearing hose for boys and girls; heavy and fine ribbed, all sizes; boys' heavy weight cotton in black; girls' fine merzerized in black, white and brown; sizes from 5½ to 10; per pair **59c**

(Hosiery Department—Main Floor)

Kid Gloves for Christmas

- WOMEN'S "FRENCH KID" GLOVES**
A beautiful fine quality genuine French kid, pique stitching, two-clasp fastening, grey only, with contrasting embroidered backs; special **\$4.50**
- "FOWNES" WASHABLE CAPE GLOVES**
A glove both stylish and serviceable, in brown, tan and gray; one-clasp fastening; extra special value, per pair **\$3.25**

(Glove Department—Main Floor)

Knit Underwear

- SILK TOP UNION SUITS**
"Kayser's" make women's union suits, in pink and white, envelope style, special value **\$2.75**
- UNION SUITS**
A Forest Mills make of women's union suits, silk top, tight knee, pink only; special **\$3.00**
- CHILDREN'S UNIONS**
"Nazareth" union suits for children of medium weight, fleece lined, high neck and long sleeves, ankle length; sizes 2 to 13; per suit **\$1.00 TO \$1.40**

(Underwear Dept.—Main Floor)



Linens—One of the Most Pleasing Lasting an

It's both a pleasure and profit for you to buy from our linen department where we are masks, exquisite Madeira linens, beautiful linen centers, squares, doilies bureau and a lasting remembrance.

Table Cloth and Napkins

Really special values. Cloths of heavy loom damask made in Irish looms with handsome Irish linnen patterns. Damasks and napkins that will retain their original lustre. These values cannot be duplicated—an ideal Christmas gift—
Cloth 72x90—Napkins 22x22, set.....\$11.95
Cloth 72x72—Napkins 22x22, set.....\$10.95

Beautiful Madeira Linens Imported L

We are showing the largest and most complete assortment of genuine imported fine Madeira linens in the city. Madeira lunch set of 13 and 25 pieces, centers, doilies, table scraps, runners—all made of the finest round thread pure Irish linen. All hand work embroidery of the finest—all new and select patterns. A Christmas gift of the first water.

Genuine imported Irish Double warp Irish Damask sets that are or mansion. Shown full size and dinner \$29.00, \$35.00 and \$

Suggestions

Suggestions for your help in your Christmas shopping—suggestions we believe both timely and in good taste.

Hand Bags

Literally hundreds to select from—hand bags of the finest leather, choicest chiffon velvets, exquisite beaded work, and coin mesh bags—all are here for your selection and approval. Especially priced at from

\$2.00 TO \$47.50

TOILET ARTICLES

Toilet articles that we can positively assure you as being of the best quality and highest degree of purity, put up in either individual bottles or packages, or week end outfits, embracing the choicest products of

"DJER KISS"

"COLGATES"

"MELBA"

"AZURA"

and

Harriet Hubbard Ayers

JEWELRY

Here we have for you thousands of dainty items to choose from—jewelry that is both fashionable and serviceable in sterling silver, solid gold and gold plate.

Necklaces in dozens and dozens of odd and antique finish and design. All fashions favorites—coral, jade, pearl and Oriental designs.

Sterling Silver Pieces at before the war prices. Candle sticks, bouquet holders, bud holders, bon bon trays, cake trays, cream and sugars, cake knives, salt and pepper—gifts both useful and lasting.

Christmas Suggestions For

Women's Ready to Wear

(Second Floor)

An Extraordinary Sale Red

A really out of the ordinary special purchase and sale of RED Fox scarfs if bought in the ordinary way would sell for a great deal more. This special sale, and would be worth every cent of price asked. The quantity is very limited.

Red Fox Fur Scarfs, all silk satin lined—values to \$45.00
Red Fox Fur Scarfs—very choice skins—satin lined—\$60 values

Fox Furs of the Choicest

It is not often that you have an opportunity to purchase such choice every one a pelt of the first water. Scarfs of Black Fox—Taupe Fox—Brown Fox—The choicest and most especially priced as follows:

\$59.50 \$69.50 \$79.50 \$97.50 \$110.

Exceptional Sale of Dainty

N negligees of rare beauty and grace—made of crepe de chine designed, cut the latest model, trimmed in fancy ribbons and silk embroidery in combination colors—garments of rare beauty showing in silver grey, peach, Pekin, wistaria, champagne, bisquit and chartreuse. A wonderful value at this special price

Holiday Sale of Tricotin

Tricotine dresses of special quality—all wool tricotine in navy beaded, braided and embroidered trimmed—dresses of actual up to \$39.50. Another line of extra special

Tricotine dresses of the very best quality—all the popular sea trimmed and more elaborate models. These are showing in navy blues dresses of value to \$60.00. Extra special at

Another Wonderful Sale

We have succeeded in replenishing our special stock of extra special value price of \$35.00. We can now again offer you Velours, Silvertones, Tricotines, Serges, Velour checks and straight line models, lined with fancy silk, pussy willow and ceptionally well tailored suits of early season values to \$59.00. Special

An Extraordinary Co

We cannot too strongly impress upon you the wonderful really wonderful, of the most popular coating materials in trimmed in deep collars of sealine—all sizes. A wonderful value at only

Coats of the Highest

For the first time a reduction in our season's leading coat tailored coats of Chameleon Cords, Silvertone, Crystal plain tailored and fancy fur trimmed models in Hudson's best type of tailoring lined with the best of grey silk lining and interlined—all colors—a truly great value—your choice

BATH ROBE SPECIAL

100 bath robes made of Beacon Blanket Robing in assorted dark and medium colors—made with girde cord and tassels \$4.75
satin trimmed—extra special

BEACON BLANKET ROBES

Bath robes made of genuine Beacon Blanket in the newest and most exclusive patterns and colorings, satin faced collars, cuffs and pockets. Special **\$8.50 TO \$10.75**
values at

CORDUR

Made of corduroy sailor collars, hagen, V A special \$5.20 Sil Positivel in Arizo made of richly at street at sizes—\$

Fancy Marabou Capes, Throws
and Stoles—values to \$20.00 ..**\$9.95**

An extraordinary special purchase—Marabou Capes, Marabou Throws—Marabou Stoles—in natural color and black. Neckpieces of style, service and warmth; very fashionable; many ostrich curl trimmed. **\$9.95**
Extra special—choice